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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The Allison W. C. T. U., will meet with Mrs. Purvis at 1505 King street, at 7:45 o'clock tonight.

Theron R. Hayden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayden, this city, has arrived from overseas and is now in Central Hospital New York City.

Maj. Edward Beverley, who has just returned from overseas, is the guest of his brother, Mr. R. H. Beverley, 417 Prince street.

Mr. Frank Pullin who has been quite sick at his home in North Royal street for the past week, is able to be out again.

Mr. Charles A. Cogan, formerly of this city, but now of Washington, attended the convention of the International Bible Student's Association held in Philadelphia last week.

Alexandria Lodge of Elks will hold its annual meeting at 8 o'clock tonight when officers will be elected for the year. Afterward there will be a social session.

A meeting of the agriculture bureau of the Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow night in the rooms of that organization and Wednesday night the retail merchants' bureau will hold a meeting.

The Misses Carrie Dunlap, Wagner, Coleman, Fisher and Nellie Bender, all of this city, have gone to Richmond, where they will spend several days, as the guest of Miss Molly Morrison, of that city.

Marley Encampment of Odd Fellows will hold a meeting tonight when the royal purple degree will be conferred after which a delegate and alternate will be chosen to the grand encampment which will meet in Richmond in May.

Mrs. Kate Penn, 207 Wilkes Street, gave an entertainment Friday evening at her residence 207 Wilkes street, for her son Master Melvin Lee Penn. Thirty-five little friends of Master Melvin Lee Penn attended and enjoyed games after which refreshments were served.

Miss Loraine C. Evans, seventeen years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Evans, died shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the residence of her parents, 410 South Fairfax street. Her funeral will take place at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from her parents' residence.

Willis McKnight, of Wellington Fairfax county, and Addie Fowler, of Marion, N. C., (colored), were married last night at "Oakwood," Theological Seminary, by the Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, Professor at the Seminary. They were attended by Philip and Irene Terrill, who live near the Seminary.

Mrs. Minnie Eaton Lennon, wife of George Lennon, died suddenly in Baltimore Friday. The deceased was a Miss Eaton and was a former resident of this city. She was a daughter of the late Edmund Eaton. Her funeral will take place at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from 912 Duke street, and services will be conducted by Rev. L. F. Kelly, of St. Mary's Church.

WOULD TRY SEA FLIGHT

Army Aviator Jealous of Preference ence Given Navy

Washington, March. 10.—While naval flying experts are tuning up giant seaplanes for the prospective flight across the Atlantic to Ireland in the early spring, army aviators are champing at the bit. The idea of sitting back serenely and permitting the navy to engage exclusively in this spectacular and history-making stunt does not appeal to the pilots who did their bit over the enemy's lines in France. What the navy can do with a seaplane, these daring army fliers are confident they can do with giant bombing land planes by sacrificing all possible carrying capacity to additional fuel and oil suplies.

Up-to-date, however, no assurances whatever have been given that army aviators will be permitted to attempt a flight across the Atlantic in a land plane. They are, for the most part willing to concede that the task ordinarily would be one for sea planes, since the pilots would have at least a fighting chance for their lives in the event of a forced descent en route.

BABY SAVED ITS MITHER

Cries of Child Into Telephone Brought Help to Gasoline Victim

A few days ago Jane Sloan, 3-year-old daughter of J. Alex Sloan, pleaded with her mother to "listen to the noises from that funny box"—the telephone.

Baby Jane's chance came a day or so later and she saved her mother's life. This is how it happened:

The Sloans were packing their household belongings preparatory to moving. Mrs. Sloan was cleaning lace curtains with gasoline. She was alone in the house with the baby.

Suddenly the baby, who was playing with her blocks in an adoining room, was thrown to the floor by an explosion. She arose ran to the flaming form of her mother, and attempted to beat out the flames with her tiny hands. Then she ran to the wall, where that "funny box" had so often fascinated her. Climbing a stool, she knocked the receiver from the telephone.

"Police!" she cried into the mouthpiece. Then her screams attracted neighbors. And soon both police and neighbors arrived and cared for the mother.

FESTIVAL OF PURIM

The Festival of Purim will be celebrated in the Jewish Community on Sunday, March the 16th, in Shushan, Persia, also on the 17th, in accordance with the statement of the Book of Esther that "the Jews ordained, and took upon them, and upon their seed, and upon all such as joined themselves unto them, so as it should not fail, that they would keep these two days every year, and that these days should be remembered and kept throughout every generation and family, every province and every city Reminder of a deliverance of the Jews from destruction in the Persian Empire, the day is naturally kept as a festival of mirth and gladness. Presents are exchanged and the poor are not to be forgotten. The Book of Esther, detailing the plots of Haman, the watchfulness and loyalty of Mordecai and Esther, forms the special reading of the day at the religious services in the Jewish houses of Worship.

FAVORS TAKING ISLANDS

French Group Not Strategical Necessity, View of Navy, However.

Washington, March 10.—The cabled report that France might extinguish some of her war debt to the United States by ceding the islands of Martinique and Guadalouge appeals more strongly to the army than the navy.

The army opinion as expressed here is that the United States, having acquired the Danish West Indies, by annexing the French Islands, would create a barrier to West Atlantic that would substantially make the Caribbean Sea an American lake.

The military strategists say that taking over the French possessions would completely bottle up and mask Jamaica and other British possessions in the West. Jamaica, for all practical purposes, ceased to be of any great strategic value with reference to the Panama canal, when the United States got Porto Rico, the Danish Islands and the Naval Base at Guantanamo, Cuba. It is this latter view which suggests to the navy experts that very little of any thing would be gained by getting Martinique and Guadaloupe.

CORPORATION COURT

The March term of the corporation court, Judge L. C. Barley presiding, convened at 11 o'clock today. Charles H. Smith, Westmoreland county, Va., was admitted to practice in this count.

Clarence Richardson, colored, indicted for grand larceny, entered a plea of guilty of petit larceny and was sentenced to serve six months in jail.

The suit of E. M. Henderson against R. I. Cummings was set for hearing Tuesday March 18.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Reports Will be Made at Meeting of Chamber of Commerce Tonight

The annual meeting of the board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the rooms of that organization when reports will be made by the different officers. The reports of these officers will be submitted at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce which is scheduled to be held next Friday night.

MOORE FOR CONGRESS

Fairfax Lawyer Announces Candidacy For Representative Carlin's Seat From Eighth District—Only Candidate Thus Far.

R. Walton Moore, distinguished lawyer and member of the convention which framed the State's present Constitution, made formal announcement last night that he would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the national House of Representatives from the Eighth Virginia District, to succeed Representative C. C. Carlin, who has notified Governor Davis that he would not qualify for membership in the Sixty-sixth Congress.

The announcement did not come as a surprise in political circles, since the name of Mr. Moore has been linked with the office in discussion of possible aspirants since Representative Carlin decided to withdraw from public life. The candidate is a native of Fairfax County, and has offices in Washington, where he is associated with several governmental activities, particularly the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Though many names have been mentioned in connection with the Eighth District vacancy, Mr. Moore is the only man so far to make definite announcement of candidacy. Richard C. L. Moncure, collector of internal revenue for the Eastern District of Virginia, has been discussed as a possible successor to Mr. Carlin, as have Colonel E. B. White, of Leesburg, and Lewis H. Machen, director of the Legislative Reference Bureau.

Mr. Moore is well known throughout the State as a lawyer and was prominent in the work of the Constitutional Convention of 1901 and 1902. The date of the special election to fill the vacancy has not yet been fixed by Governor Davis.

TO DELIVER ADDRESS

The Hon. C. C. Carlin will speak in the M. E. Church, South, on Thursday, 13th, at 8 o'clock on the "Experiences of an American Abroad" telling of his recent trip over the battle fields of Europe and his visit to Rome. Col. E. Jester Jones, of the Aviation Corps, who was Mr. Carlin's traveling companion, will also speak No cards of admission will be required, and no seats will be reserved.

I. W. W. BLAMED

Sydney, N. S. W., March 10.—Organized I. W. W. propaganda is evident in Australian cities. Workshops are filled with pamphlets and stickers advocating a strike.

Threats are being made of a revival of the coal trade transport strike.

WILL HOLD UNION SERVICES

Episcopalians to Have Joint Services Every Wednesday Night.

During Lent the three Episcopal Churches will have union services every Wednesday night. The first of these services will be held Wednesday night in Grace Church at 8 o'clock and the sermon will be preached by Rev. Canon Austin, of Washington. It is urged that the congregations of the different Episcopal Churches attend these services.

Ingomar—Pearl White and Carlyle Blackwell

Carlyle Blackwell and Evelyn Greeley are the stars in the new World picture, "The Beloved Blackmailer," which will be seen tonight at the Ingomar Theatre.

"The Beloved Blackmailer," is a story everyone will like. It possesses an odd plot. There is a blackmailer and the man paying the blackmail tears his hair until he finds out who the blackmailer is. When he knows that it was a mere girl who exacted a million dollars from him in ransom for the life of his son he assumes the forgiving attitude as long as he can have his son back once again. But the son does not come back alone; he arrives home with the daughter of his business rival as his wife—and she was the blackmailer.

The scenes in this picture are beautiful. Carlyle Blackwell is at his best and you will enjoy the actions of this six-foot young man who allows himself to be kidnapped and held for ransom.

This is a picture for all members of the family; one that all will like. Don't fail to see it.

SENATOR MARTIN AT HOME

Virginian Will Rest for Few Weeks Before Next Congress Convenes.

Washington, March 10.—Senator Martin has left Washington for a few weeks' rest at his home in Virginia before returning to the capital to prepare for the extra session of Congress.

The veteran Virginia legislator has been under tremendous strain for the past three months, having personally handled appopriation bills that have run far into the billions. He has worked day and night to break down the Republican filibuster that threatened and finally succeeded in defeating some of the most important measures which Senator Martin had charge of on the floor.

BACK FROM GERMAN PRISON.

Would Have Starved but for Red Cross, Savs Hampton Doctor.

Newport News, Va., March 10.—Dr. W. Brown, of Hampton, Va., for two years prisoner of the Germans, by whom he was captured when the Moewe sank the British steamer Esmeralda, March 10, 1917, returned to his home in Hampton Saturday night. He was released by the Germans December 5.

Dr. Brown says he was well treated by the Germans, but probably would have starved had it not been for the American Red Cross. He was taken into Kiel on the Moewe. From Kiel he went to Karlsruhe thence to Krefeld, from there to Beeskow, thence to Heidelberg, and lastly to Brandenburg, at which place he was discharged.

QUEBEC BONE DRY NEXT

Cuba Also is Considering a Bone Dry Law.

Thirsty souls who were preparing to migrate north of the St. Lawrence in great numbers may as well save the railroad fare to buy Liberty Bonds The Province of Quebec, J. Barleycorn's last stronghold in Canada, goes dry May 1.

Cuba is considering a ruthless bone-dry law. And the brewers who had it all worked out to set up their plants in China must be somewhat dismayed by the caustic remarks of the Peking Daily News, which says: "Beer however glorious, is one of the things China can manage to do without."

The ancient enemy, but constant companion of man since Noah "planted a vineyard," soon will not have any where to lay his bruised head.

INCENDIARY STARTS BLAZE

Man Seen as He Applies Torch to Main Street, Richmond, Building

Richmond, March 10.—Accidental detection of an incendiary just as he was applying the torch to the back end of the Polk Miller drug store, in Main Street, just before 10 o'clock last night is believed to have saved Richmond one of the most destructive fires of recent years. As it was, slight damage beyond that from water was done.

The drug store, nestled between old structures of wood and brick, is located at 834 East Main Street. It extends to an alley connecting Ninth and Eighth Streets. Across the alley is the Remington Building in which are located the offices of Charles O. Burch, a private detective.

Last night Mr. Burch was working in his office. He had occasion to go to the side window. This is on the third floor. As he looked downward he saw a man, with a bundle of paper under his arm, striking a match. The man applied the match to the paper and thrust it through the iron grating which covers a door, then ran westward through the alley and disappeared.

Police officials think an effort was made to burn the entire block, which is one of the worst in Richmond, from a fireman's viewpoint. Nearly every structure in it is old, and would, the firemen say, burn "like tinder" with such a wind as was blowing last night.

Potomac Fish Company will have on sale tomorrow and balance of week: Potomac herring, Bay shad, large and medium rock, large and medium bass, Jersey trout, catfish, haddock, state cod, perch, Norfolk and Potomac oysters; Phone 198. C. H. ZIMMERMAN, Proprietor. 59-5t.

FIGHTING IN BERLIN

Revolution Gets Beyond Control of Leaders—Latter Accused of Treachery—Demand Complete Overthrow of Cabinet.

Berlin, March 10.—The revolution last night appeared to have got beyond control of its leaders.

Although the general strike was officially called off yesterday afternoon, following a compromise, fighting was still going on in several parts of the city.

A strong minority, accusing the strike leaders of treacherously playing into the hands of the government, was demanding complete overthrow of the cabinet and turning the country over to control of the soviets. This sentiment was being fostered by fear of hunger, as well as money and propoganda alleged to be furnished by Russia.

Labor leaders are now triyng to separate the workmen's political demands from Spartacan terrorism and violence with which the radical element of the workingman is connected. It was sympathy with the workers, rather than a formal alliance, which led sailors and soldiers of the Republican guard to break with the te fish-nsdfotinr modm rom or mor government.

PROPERTY SALES

Mrs. Josephine Jenkins and husband have sold to George Peverill and Calvin Butts, trustees of the Free Methodist Church, the two-story brick dwelling house 507 North Columbus street.

Mrs. Effie L. Baggett has sold to Paul Herfurth two houses and lots on the south side of Commerce street betwen West and Peyton streets. Deeds of transfer were recorded today.

$100,000 TO TRAIN NURSES

To Be Devoted to Those Discharged From Service

Washington, March 10.—Appropriation of $100,000 as a scholarship fund to induce graduate nurses released from the Army and Navy Nurse Corps to train for public health nursing was announced yesterday by the American Red Cross. A maximum scholarship of $600 will be granted for an eight-month course of training and $300 for a four-month course.

The fund will be administered by the Red Cross Department of Nursing and scholarships will be granted on the recommendation of Red Cross division directors of public health nursing.

BREWERS TO MAKE CANDY

Roxbury, Mass., Concervns Incorporate as Chocolate Company.

Boston, March 10.—Brewers of this city are planning to become candy makers after July 1. Officers of one company said today that they had applied to the building inspection department for permission to make changes in their brewing plant in Roxbury to equip it fr candy manufacture, and officers of two other brewing firms have filed certificates of incorporation as a chocolate company.

Henry A. Reuter said yesterday that his brewing organization would be maintained for a time in the hope that manufacture of light beers might be permitted, but that members of the firm were interested in the proposed candy-making business.

PADEREWSKI ASKS AID

Polish Premier Meets Allied Commission in Posen

Posen, March 10.—Premier Paderewski arrived here yesterday to explain to the Interallied Mission the critical position of the Poles on the Lemberg front. He insisted that immediate aid by the Entente in the way of material and munitions was necessary.

The fall of Lemberg, the Polish Premier declared, would produce the most painful impression among the Poles and strengthen the extreme left of the opposition in the Diet to the Paderewski Government.

Potomac rock, large yellow perch, Potomac shad, Potomac herring, fresh cod, fresh haddock. Price & Co. Bell phone 321-J. 59-1t.

PASSING OF BEER

Beverage Will Soon be Memory—Breweries go Out of Business

Baltimore, March 10.—Four Baltimore breweries are now out of business so far as making real lager beer is concerned, and another is expected to close in about a week.

Those which have exhausted the beer made before the war ban went into effect on December 1 are the Brehm, Steil, Chesapeake, Wiesner and Monumental. The Bauernschmidt brewery is still supplying customers, but the stock is expected to last only a about a week longer. This will leave the G. B. S., the Gunther and the Standard to meet the requirements of the city, with the limited quantity that may be shipped in from Western cities.

Breweries had reason to believe that President Wilson on his recent return from France would lift the ban on beer as he did on near-beer. But he did not do so and it is not known whether he refused to do so or whether in the press of other matters he forgot it.

In any event, the war prohibition act which goes into effect on July 1 becomes effective as to the manufacture of beer on May 1, so that even should the brewers be permitted to resume the manufacture of the real stuff they could run only the few weeks remaining until that date.

A BACHELOR'S CHILDREN"

True patriotism is the noblest characteristic in man and when he is devoid of this necessary qualification he is far below what he was created for. Nothing is nobler than to see one sacrifice, pleasure, position and power, and even life itself for others. Tomorrow night at the Grand Theatre you will be permitted to see just such a character in Harry Morey, who with an all-star cast will present "A Bachelor's Children," a most pathetic story of self-sacrifice. How a man righting a wrong won the girl whom he loved. If you like the serious part of life you want to see this picture. But the show is not all sad, for there will be the usual comedy. Come early.

DROWNED WHILE FISHING

Dynamite Used in Vain Effort To Locate Body in Patuxent.

Laurel, Md., March 10.—Slipping down the wet bank of the Patuxent river while fishing yesterday, Arthur Herbison, a worker in the Mt. Clare shops, in Baltimore, fell in and was drowned. The heavy rain during the night and early morning had swollen the river so that it overflowed its banks in a number of places and obliterated the path usually followed by fishermen. Neither Mr. Herbison, nor his brother-in-law, Harry Ellis, who accompanied him, could swim. Mr. Ellis immediately gave the alarm and a searching party was formed to hunt for the body, which had been carried away by a strong current. The river was dynamited in several places, but without results. Another search will be made tomorrow. Mr. Herberson was 35 years old. He leaves a widow and three small children.

DIED

LENNON—On Friday, March 7, 1919, at her residence in Baltimore, Mrs. MINNIE EATON LENNON, wife of George Lennon. Funeral Tuesday, March 11, at 11 a. m., from 912 Duke street. Relatives and friends invited. 59-1t

DIED—Saturday, March 8, Miss LORAINE C. EVANS, in her 17th year. Funeral services from home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Evans, 110 South Fairfax street, 4 p. m., Tuesday. Interment in Bethel Cemetery. 59-1t.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Mrs. Jennie Walls Fahnline, who died ten years ago today, March 10, 1909, at her home in Sharon, Pa.

The rolling stream of life rolls on,
but still the vacant chair,
Recalls the love, the voice, the smile
of one who once sat there.
The flowers we lay upon her grave
may wither and decay
But the love we bore for her will
never fade away.

By her niece and namesake,
Jennie Tressa Bayliss.

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REPORT OF BELL SYSTEM

Theodore N. Vail Makes Annual Report of American Telegraph and Telephone.

The fundamental soundness of the Bell System, the competent way it has met the requirements of the war, its fair and open way of dealing with the problems of governmental control, and its clear understanding of the responsibilities of the future, are set forth by Theodore N. Vail in the report of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The year 1918 has been from every standpoint the most strenuous and difficult year in the whole history of the telephone, says Mr. Vail. It has been impossible to maintain standards and difficult to meet the increasing demands for service, greatly augmented at all centers where war industries and activities concentrated. About 14,000 employees of the telephone system entered military service Over 20 per cent. of the expert staff were taken over by the Government for special or active war service.

Of particular interest is a letter to Mr. Vail from the Secretary of War appreciative of the "splendid spirit of co-operation" of the Bell engineers, which was indispensable in the development of the airplane wireless telephone set and other important apparatus used in the war.

At the end of the year there were 10,992,325 telephones connected with the Bell System, which owned 7,200,000 and connected with about 3,800,000 owned by connecting companies and rural associations.

The wire mileage owned by the Bell Companies was 23,281,150 miles, 94 per cent. copper, and 60 per cent. underground, The net amount added to plant and real estate was $77,922,631 The total provision for depreciation of plant during the year was $54,000,000.

The capital obligations of the Bell System outstanding in the hands of the public at the close of the year were $991,074,264, of which the outstanding obligations of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company represent $676,283,362 and those of the Associated Companies, $314,790,902. The telephone plants stand on the books of the companies at $1,142,815,341, and appraisals by public authorities indicate a greater actual value. The surplus and reserve aggregate $340,000,000, an increase of over $36,000,000.

In six years the expenditures from Employees' Benefit Funds have amounted to $10,534,594.

The net earnings of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company for the year were $54,293,016. The interest charges were $10,391,694, and the dividends at the regular rate of 8 per cent. per annum were $35,229,698. Of the resulting balance $5,000,000 were appropriated for contingencies and $3,671,622 added to surplus.

The number of stockholders increased over 25,000 during 1918, and now exceeds 112,000, the majority being women. The average holding is 39 shares.

FOUND SOCIETY BUD BUT—

If you meet an apparently wealthy girl, and fall in love with her, be sure that she is rich before you make any marital plans. Wallace Reid, who is appearing in a new Paramount production, "Alias, Mike Moran," at the Richmond Theatre tonight, plays the part of Larry Young who aspired to marry a society bud. He found the bud all right, but it happened that she loved him too well to undeceive him.

PAID $55 TO DIE

Sought Escape From Woes; Alleged Slayer Held

Chicago, March 10.—Dave Lewis, old and blind, valued his life at nothing, but he gave all his wealth, $55, for death.

That was the story of Aubrey Dennison, the "Chicago Bird," as related to police here by Louisville officers. Dennison said the exhortations of a mission preacher led him to unbosom himself.

"Lewis was drunk and I was half drunk," Dennison told Kentucky officers. "He said he was a burden to himself and everybody else and offered me $55 if I would kill him. I put him away, dropped his body in the river and left Chicago."

Chicago officers are inclined to discredit the story because no such disappearance is recalled and no "floater" resembling the description of Lewis has been taken from the lake.

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AMERICAN COMMERCE

Up to the breaking out of our civil war the American flag was in evidence in all the great ports of the world. Our clipper ships will be remembered by some now living. Confederate privateers from 1861 to 1865, however, made the Stars and Stripes as scarce on the ocean as mermaids or sea serpents. Twenty-two years ago the writer visited the ports of London and Liverpool, and saw but one American flag, that which flew from the taffrail of a steamer belonging to an American line.

Conditions have changed during the past few years. The Stars and Stripes are often seen on steam and sailing vessels. The United States is now a competitor in the marine world.

The "Gunston Hall," the huge steel steamer recently launched by the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation at Alexandria will, it is expected, be ready for service by the beginning of next month. She is scheduled to leave this port for New York, whence she will sail for Australia via the Panama Canal.

The keel for another steel ship was laid last week on the cradle of the "Gunston Hall." Ships number 2, 3 and 4 are now far advanced, and will be launched during the year.

The Washington Post in this connection says "for the first time since the days of the famous "clipper" ships American merchant craft now are plying the seven seas, carrying products of the United States to the farthest corners of the earth and bringing home both essentials and luxuries.

The shipping board announces that the American merchant marine fleet built up under the spur of war's necessity now represents nearly one-fifth of the entire seagoing tonnage of the world and comprises 46 per cent of all ships clearing from United States ports, as compared with 9.7 per cent before the great war. Ships flying the Stars and Stripes are now running to China, Australia, New Zealand, India, the Dutch East Indies, the west coast of Africa, South America, Great Britain, Canada and Mexico.

The fleet consists of 351 freighters, 84 freight and passenger vessels, 71 oil tankers, 230 sailing vessels, and 16 miscelleaneous ships, aggregating 1,961,239 gross tons.

When the army and navy return to the shipping board the 353 ships which they are operating, the commercial fleet under the American flag will be increased by 1,873,251 gross tons, making the total 3,834,750 gross tons.

A DUTY TO YOUR NEWSPAPER.

It is a statement constantly dinned into the ears of a newspaper man that he owes a duty to the public—that he should take up this or that cause, should battle for it without hope of compensation other than the consciousness of having performed a public service. He often makes enemies by refusing to attack this and that thing. Regardless of what the publisher's or editor's personal feelings may be, regardless of the expense and labor which may be involved, the newspaper, through its editor, is expected to devote its best effort, to sink all personal feeling, for the advancement of any cause which has for its object the public weal. And there are times when the public weal doesn't benefit a red cent, the only benefit being that derived by an indivdual, or group of individuals, who pose as public bnefactors and use the newspaper as their cat's paw to rake out the chestnuts from the fire.

And, be it to the everlasting credit of the newspaper editor, not once in a thousand times will he fail to support every project which has real merit, though to do so often costs him not only labor and expense but also loss of friends.

The newspaper needs the whole-hearted co-operation of the citizens of a community and, particulraly, the patronage of the business men.

But this is often withheld and that, too, by some who make most use of the newspaper. Some who urge most demands upon the home paper are of a class who do not advertise nor subscribe, yet their sensibilities are hurt when the editor politely informs him them that he cannot be made a bludgeon to averge their piques.

Some of the above suggestions are made by a contemporary which has spent considerable money recently in enlarging its capacity for usefulness. Every paper is compelled to expend money to keep up with the times, whether it meets wth proper encouragement or not.

CLERICAL PROFANITY

The clergyman who begged his bishop to compose "a form of strong words suitable for use by a Godly person in moments of great excitement" had not been thoroughly emancipated from clerical conventionalities and from a curious but very widespread delusion as to what constitutes profanity. One clergyman thrilled an audience by concluding a speech surcharged with militant patriotism by the exclamation: "To hell with the Kaiser! Another minister who had tasted the ripe and luscious fruit of Bolshevism on its native soil of Russia gave vent to his feelings in the malediction, "Damn the red flag!" which of course, had the sanction of no bishop.

One sultry Sunday many years ago Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, after taking his seat in his pulpit in Brooklyn, mopped his brow and exclaimed audibly, "It's damned hot!" Those near the minister and who heard his words were astonished. Beecher, in beginning his sermon, alluded to his exclamation, and said he heard a man on the outside make use of the words as he was entering the church. The preacher took the adjective he had used and made it apparent that, while useless, there was nothing offensive in it.

THE CASE OF OUR WOMEN

It is with a stirring of the heart-strings that we read or listen to every printed or spoken tribute to the efficiency and loyalty of our women in war. They have been splendid beyond words. Of those who carried their patriotism beyond the world's old-time notions of the limit to be expected of women, and who volunteered for service as ambulance drivers or as nurses or welfare workers at the front, there is little danger that too little will be said. Of those, too, who stayed at home and performed no less effective prodigies in teh jobs made vacant by the enlistmnt of th men, much deserved praise has been spoken and printed.

But the past is past; the war is over, and there must be a restoration of the old order along the whole line. Clerks and men of the shops and mills who became soldiers are returning to become clerks and men of the shops and mills again. In many cases the women who took their places are gracefully retiring and resuming, in their return, the work or the leisure which was theirs before the war. But there are too many exceptions, and of these other and harsher words must be spoken.

Many of these offending hangers-or are of the "leisure class," though not all. There are in this country many women whose husbands or other male relatives were, before the war, and still are, competent to support them, but who have taken and are holding lucrative jobs for the extra pin-money. Something should be done to prod them out of their selfishness. Often their employers are to blame, and the Government should devise some speedy means of ethical education for those employers.

The streets of every large city are full of tales and of rumors which may often be difficult to verify, but enough of them are true to show that the returning soldiers are not being given the consideration they deserve. There are stories of the disinclination of certain empolyers to take back their old men because the substitute female labor is cheaper. There are stories of discrimination against employees who volunteered for service instead of waiting until they were forced to go. There are tales of all sorts, but unfortunately, some of them are true.—Philadelphia Record.

DRIVE ON BOLSHEVIKI

Hindenburg Collecting Army of Volunteers on Eastern Front With Libau as Base.

Coblenz, March 10.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg is planning to use volunteer units in a drive against the Bolsheviki, with Libau as the base of his operations, it is indicated by information which has reached American intelligence officers.

According to the American experts who in the line of their duty are keeping in touch with the progress of the readjustment of the enemy's forces, German Great Headquarters seems to be following a policy of secrecy as regards the eastern front troop question. This is believed to be due to the fact that the Bolsheviki now have a normal military organization and so will be able to utilize any information they might obtain concerning their enemy. Apparently the German headquarters staff in Kolberg is directing its energies again toward organization on the Baltic front in the confidence that there is no longer any immediate occasion for concern over the Polish front. Field Marshal von Hindenburg is in Kolberg, and the commanders of both the Northern and Southern armies on the eastern front are presumed to be applying most of their efforts at present to the organization of the forces available.

Great numbers of volunteer companies have been raised throughout Germany for the eastern front, according to information here. Scores of these small units have been identified proceeding eastward, but whether they were organized into divisions afterward, or whether they are undergoing training, and to what locality they have been assigned has not been established.

The total number of volunteers now on the eastern front or about to proceed there is estimated at nearly 100,000. Some of the old army troops are now on the eastern front.

Weimar, March 10.—Frau Broenner, an authoress and publisher and a delegate of the German Democratic party in the National Assembly, has left for her home in Koenigsberg to organize the women of East Prussia into a border militia against the Bolsheviki.

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Fath of our mothers, strong and brave,
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Washington Couple Found Near to Death From Gas in Their Rooms

Abraham Joseph and his 15-year-old bride, Mrs. Alma Virginia Joseph, lie at Casualty Hospital, Washington, slowly recovering from gas asphyxiation. Only a blood transfusion yesterday saved Mrs. Joseph's life.

The couple were found overcome in their room on the third floor of 735 Eighth street southeast yesterday morning by Vincent Marine, who had called to see the Josephs.

They evidently had been subjected to the fumes for several hours, and a jet stood wide open. Dr. Crawford, of Casualty responded to an ambulance call. After their removal to the institution, it was found that Mrs. Joseph's blood had become so charged with the gas that only a transfusion would avail. The blood was taken from a member of the hospital staff. Last night it was asid that both would recover.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

At the last meeting of the City School Board, March 6, 1919 the following resolutions were presented by the committee and unanimously adopted by the Board.

Gilbert J. Cox, Clerk.

Whereas, Almighty God in His infinite wisdom on the 30th day of Jan. 1919, called from the scene of his Earthly labors, Philip Montague Bradshaw; and whereas, on account of the intimate relations existing between the deceased and the members of this Board, and his honorable position in the community and business world; we deem it fitting to record our high appreciation of him; therefore

Resolved; That in the discharge of his duties for twenty years both as a member and as Chairman of this Board, the Christian virtues ever shone brightly in his character; his charity, courtesy and kindliness endearing him to us his fellow members.

Resolved: That to the afflicted relations of the deceased we tender our deepest sympathy.

Resolved: That the foregoing expressions of esteem and respect be spread upon the minutes of the Board, a copy sent to his family, also a copy to the Alexandria Gazette for publication.

T. CALVERT PERRY,
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Lost—On North Washington street, Sunday morning a physicians bag. Reward if returned to 700 Prince street. 59-1t

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Although not unduly alarmed over the appearance of eight cases of what is termed "epidemic somnolence" in Richmond, the State Board of Health has set in motion machinery designed to minimize the spread of the disease and to curb its ravages as far as possible.

Fire early yesterday morning destroyed the five-story carriage factory on Union street, Norfolk, owned by W. E. Black, but operated under the name of A. Wrenn & Son. Surrounding structures, including the Victoria Hotel, were at one time threatened. The damage was estimated at $100,000.

Big hotel men from New York and Baltimore were present last night at the formal opening of the Monticello Hotel in Norfolk, the $2,000,000 structure erected to replace the one burned more than a year ago. Governor Davis was the guest of honor at a banquet given by Col. Charles N. Consolve, manager of the hotel.

After a fourteen days' struggle with the elements, during which time she was unable to make any headway at all for hours at a time, the steamship Martha Washington arrived at Newport News Friday with 3,000 soldiers on board. She brought the Three Hundred and Thirty-fifth and Three Hundred and Thirty-sixth Field Artillery and the Forty-ninth Coast Artillery, together with about thirty casual officers. She sailed from Pauillac, France, February 23.

The home of James Gray, colored, near Nindis Store, King George county, was burned a few days ago, and two small children were burned to death. His wife had locked the children in the house while she went to a lodge meeting a short distance away. When the fire was discovered the mother broke open the door of the house and succeeded in saving her baby, but the smoke and fire prevented her from rescuing the other children. She was so severely burned she may not recover from her injuries.

Fifteen men, most of them foreigners, were arrested in Norfolk yesterday by Department of Justice agents and Norfolk police in a raid on a house in Fenchurch street. They were locked up to await preliminary trial today on charges of violating the espionage act. According to the authorities, a large quantity of literature, having to do with all kinds of lawless agitation, was seized in the raid. Among the papers were advertisements of a bond sale of "the Russian government" and giving the address of the American office as 56 Wall street, New York.

CONCEALED HUGE GUNS IN FLOWERS.

New York, March 10.—Huge mortars, standing on concrete emplacements and abundantly supplied with half-ton projectiles, were erected during the war among the flowers and shrubbery of private gardens in New York city and elsewhere along the Atlantic coast, ready to repel the attacks of German naval or air ships, Maximilian Toch, one of the first American camoufleurs, told the New York section of the American Chemical Society here last night.

Mr. Toch, who directed several of the navy's important camouflage projects, spoke with the consent of Secretary Daniels. He described how honeysuckle, morning glory, and ivy, as well as paints, had been employed to conceal or lower the visibility of coastal fortifications.

Ambrose channel, the mouth of New York harbor, was protected, in addition to the guns in the regular army fort, by mortars having a range of twelve miles, said Mr. Toch. Some of these military cannon, he declared, were placed two and a half miles inland on private estates, and so concealed by arrangement of trees, shubbery and flowers that passersby were ignorant of their erection, and even aviators found "little or no evidence" of their location. They were manned by army gun crews, ready for instant action.

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THREATENS SUIT

Countess Bernstorff Complains of Film Showing Her Disloyal.

New York, March 10.—Hearing of a complaint brought by the American wife of Count Johann Bernstorff former German Ambassador to the United States, to restrain the C. R. Macauley Photoplay Company from showing the film "Whom the Gods Would Destroy," has been set for Monday.

The countess objects strenuously, she declares, to being depicted as an accomplice of her husband in plotting murder and arson, and spreading German propaganda in this country. She threatens to bring suit for $100,000 against the producers if the film is shown.

Advertisements, it is alleged, exhibit the picture of a woman bearing a remarkable resemblance to the Countess von Bernstorff and referring to her as the spy's American wife.

The complaint alleges that exhibition of the picture would cause her loyalty to the United States to be questioned. Despite her marriage, the complaint declares, she remains loyal to her native land.

The countess before her marriage was Miss Jeanne Luckemeyer, born in New York. She was married to the former German Ambassador in Berlin in 1887.

CASE OF THE KAISER

What to do With ExRuler Becoming More and More A Chinese Puzzle

Paris, March, 10.—The special committee on fixing responsibility for the war and providing for punishment of the culprits is growing more and more perplexed as the question is studied. The investigators must distinguish between the former Kaiser and the German government if an indictment is to be drawn up against him. They find this a difficult task. Furthermore, the committee cannot see how the powers can get hold of the former Kaiser without violating treaties with Holland.

Fear persists that unless the former Emperor is kept under control of the allies he may return to Germany when conditions there are settled and may return to rule. This must be prevented—but how?

No definite answer has been found to this question.

One suggestion is that Holland be asked to give up Count Hohenzollern of her own accord or give guarantees that she (Holland) will be responsible to the allies for keeping him interned for life.

SERBIA A RUIN

Will Take 15 or 20 Years to Restore Her, Says Dr. L. I. Dublin

New York, March 10.—Serbia was described yesterday as both an economic and physical ruin by Dr. Louis I. Dublin, a statistician of New York, just returned from a health survey of Italy, Greece, Serbia and Jugoslavia for the American Red Crsos.

Dr. Dublin declared that in every one of the countries ravaged by the enemy the number of deaths from disease in the civilian population far outnumbered the war casualties. As an example of this he mentioned Italy, where, he said, nearly 800,000 civilians died from influenza. Serbia has suffered worst of all, he said, and he estimated it would take 15 to 20 years to restore her to her normal condition.

PLOT TO KILL WILSON

Russia Man and Woman Under Arrest, Expose Plan to Slay Officials.

Newark, N. J., March 10.—Nicholas Micheloff, who was arrested in Bayonne Friday night, and a woman giving the name of Mrs. Celia Fischer, who was taken in custody here last night, are being held pending investigation by Federal authorities of an alleged plot against the life of President Wilson.

The woman, who admits being an anarchist, was said last night to have informed the police that at a meeting of extremists in South Bethlehem, Pa., two years ago, it was decided that the government of the United States could be overthrown if the President and several other officials of the administration were removed. Whether any further steps were taken by the anarchists is not disclosed.

Micheloff was arrested while distributing inflammatory pamphlets among the oil plant employees in Bayonne. Most of the pamphlets were in the Russian language.

In the man's room the police found a quantity of anarchistic literature, a revolver, a large supply of cartridges, a black jack and several red flags. He has been in the country only two years.

DISORDER IN LONDON

Arrest of Two American Sailors Precipitates Collision With Police

London, March 10.—As a result of a serious riot yesterday afternoon in which American soldiers and sailors and Canadian and Australian troops made common cause against the London police, Policeman P. C. Field was last night in a critical condition with a fractured skull, four other policemen are suffering from scalp wounds and five American soldiers and sailors are nursing club wounds at the Lancaster Gate Red Cross Hospital.

Twenty American soldiers and sailors are under arrest, ordered by Provost Marshall Major Campbell.

The touble started about 1 o'clock when a policeman raided a sailors' "crap game," which was in progress behind the Eagle Hut. In old-time form the dice were "passed' when the "Bobbie" appeared on the scene. He arrested a sailor who swore he was innocent and standing on the steps of Eagle Hut, dared the policeman to arrest him. A second sailor was arrested on the same charge. Both were taken to Bow street station.

About 500 sailors from the Eastley, Harwich and Tilbury docks in London were present, and about 150 were around the Eagle Hut when the arrests were made.

A little after 1 o'clock a crowd of about 300 Americans, Canadians and Australians appeared in front of the station and a deputation entered my office demanding the immediate release of the two sailors when the demand was refused a representative of the mob replide, "We'll pull your whole damn station down if you don't release them.

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Found Hacked With Ax in Hothouse and Officers Search for Discharged Youth.

Salem, N. J., March 10.—Authorities are in search of the person who attacked Levin Tull, an Oldmans township farmer, early Saturday morning, and beat him so horribly with an ax that he is not expected to live. The search is being centered on George Leonard, 19 years old, who was until Thursday in the farmer's employ. Tull who went out to his hotbeds between 5 and 6 o'clock did not return for breakfast and an investigation was made. He was found lying on the floor in a pool of blood with four wounds on his head and a finger almost severed. An ax near by was covered with blood, showing that it was the weapon used. Near the farmer were Leonard's gloves and an old pair of shoes. The farmer has not regained consciousness, and it is believed he cannot recover. His clothing had been rifled and a sum of money taken. A shot bag in which he carried his coin was found in an adjoining field. Suspicion points to Leonard as the assailant, for on Thursday he quit the Tull place after being paid off and removed all his belongings, including the gloves and shoes that were found after the assault. It was known that he was in the locality yesterday, and it is believed that he slept in the hothouse all night. Wilmington officers picked up a colored boy answering Leonard's description today, but Sheriff Miffin failed to identify him, and he was released. Word has been sent to all the police of South Jersey and the Sheriff is confident that Leonard will be captured within a short time.

KILLED IN AUTO MISHAP

Delaware Girl Caught in Door as Car Overturned.

Wilmington, Del. March 10—In an automobile accident at Upper Darby late yesterday afternoon Johanna du Pont Bush, 12-year-old daughter of William Bush, was instantly killed, and Mr. and Mrs. Bush and their three children, Mary Martha and Frances Elizabeth, were shaken up. Mr. Bush was driving the car, when it skidded, struck a curb and was over turned, with the child who was killed caught in the door. The car was righted and came back to this city under its own power.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

Serious riots have broken out in Lorrach, Baden, on account of bad food conditions. Mobs threw hand grenades at public officials and the mayor of the city was forced to flee for his life, the dispatch added.
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The International Union of Longshoremen whose membership at New York numbers approximately 45,000 voted yesterday to support the Marine workers in their strike against the private boat owners.

German delgates to the Peace Conference will particularly urge adoption of measures for protection of workingmen of the world, it was learned in Paris yesterday. It was expected the Germans will ask that foreign interests in every country be granted the right to organize, and that the Peace Conference endeavor to fix conditions under which men shall work in all countries. Recent upheavals in Germany have convinced the German delegates of the necessity of making adequate provisions for the laboring classes.

The "insurrectionist" faction of the Democratic party in the House came out into open yesterday in its fight against Champ Clark for minority leadr. In a statement issued by Representative James H. Mays, of Utah, a member of the executive committee producing the anti-Clark movement, it is said that friends of the administration cannot support the former Speaker for the minority leadership because he is not in sympathy with the President and has expressed "sarcastic" antagonism' to the league of nations.

Two hundred Spartacans taken prisoners in the past week's rebellion in Berlin were summarily executed by government troops Friday. They were lined against the wall one by one. It was the grimmest and most grewsome wholesale execution in German history. The people's navy division has been disarmed and dissolved. The private telephone system in the city has been resumed. The last rounds of the terrific battle between government troops and Reds were fought Friday in the northwest quarter of Berlin. The Alexander Square still looks as battered as front line of the Western front. The police prefecture has been almost completely wrecked by explosives.

Allied-American armistice commissioners are speeding back to Spa, Belgium, to notify the German commission of the decision of the council of ten to begin immediately to send food into Germany at the rate of 250,000 tons monthly until August. This decision was taken after a four-hour session late Saturday, France finally yielding to the British-American viewpoint that Germany must be fed if Bolshevism is to be kept out of that country and of Western Europe generally. The Germans, in return, must immediately hand over a specified number of big and little merchant ships. These will be manned by allied crews, will steam to America loaded with returning U. S. soldiers, and then return with food for the Germans.

The 17-year-old locust invasion of Eastern United States is due this spring, Department of Agriculture experts say. The area where the pests will make their appearance, roughly is east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio. At the same time another group of 13-year locusts are due to appear in the old south. Horticulturists have warned would-be orchardists not to plant any trees this year, as heretofore the ravages of the 17-year locust have damaged or destroyed the plantings.

There is no prospect of lower prices for wheat this year, according to Herbert C. Hoover, if supply and demand continue in the present ratio. No considerable reductions of present prices of bread is to be expected either. "Investigation," Hoover said, "of the food needs of Europe in the past month indicate that there will be no surplus to carry over into the 1919 crop. The Indian famine has proved so serious that a large part of the Australian wheat crop must go there at once. In addition a large proportion of the Australian supply which has been piling up for years has spoiled.

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7.37 am Washington-Danville (local) 3.23 pm.
8.47 am New York-New Orleans (via Atlanta) 11.58 pm.
9.07 am Washington-Harrisonburg 9.13 pm
9.37 am Washington-Atlanta (coaches) 11.13 pm.
2.27 pm Washington- Memphis (via Bristol) 4.58 pm.
4.02 pm Washington-Birmingham (via Atlanta) 12.23 pm.
4.12 pm Washington-Harrisonburg 11.03 am.
4.22 pm Washington-Charlottesville (local) 11.08 am.
5.22 pm Washington-Warrenton 7.53 am.
7.17 pm New York Augusta-Aiken 7.18 am
10.02 pm New York-New Orleans (via Bristol) 7.43 am
10.17 pm New York-Atlanta 8.28 am.
11.02 pm New York-New Orleans (via Atlanta) 9.28 am

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3.35 am New York-Jacksonville (A. C. L.) 11.30 pm.
7.55 am Washington-Richmond (Local) 12.30 pm.
9.42 am New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville (S. A. L.) 10.25 pm.
10.52 am Washington- Fredericksburg (local) 8.10 am.
11.47 am Washington-Richmond (Express) 8.05 pm.
2.47 pm New York-Tampa-Key West (A. C. L.) 3.00 pm.
5.17 pm Washington-Richmond (local) 8.37 pm S
6.17 pm Washington-Columbia- Memphis (S. A. L.) 12.55 pm.
8.07 pm New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach (S A. L.) 9.15 am.
9.17 pm Washington-St Petersburg-Tampa (A. C. L.) 9.05 am.
Richmond-Washington (express) 3.28 pm.
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Pursuant to a deed of trust executed by Suter and Slaymaker, Incorporated, dated on the 1st day of February, 1913, which is duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia, in deed book 137, page 58, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured therein, the undersigned, at the request of the holder of the note evidencing said debt will sell at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance of the Market Building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of MARCH, 1919, at twelve o'clock noon, all that lot or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon, formerly in Alexandria County, Virginia, now in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, known as Rosemont, and described as follows, to-wit.

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